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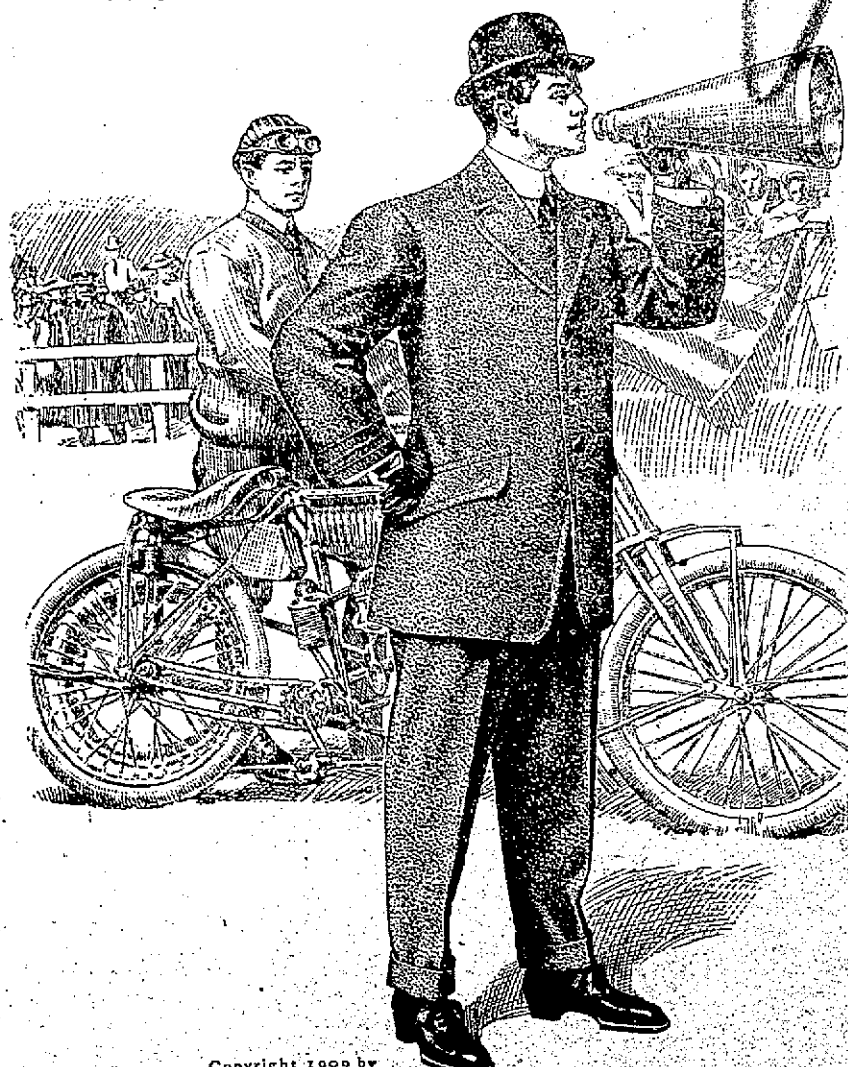
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Dr. Till Tells About It.

Barron, Wis., March 8.—The secret of the composition of the ointments and plasters used by John Till of Alameda is out. In an examination before County Judge C. W. Meadows under the discovery statute in the \$25,000 mal-practice suit instituted by Patrick Sullivan of Milwaukee, Till stated under oath that his plasters were composed of tallow and oleum tiglium, the latter being the pharmaceutical name for croton oil. When desired in the liquid form for an ointment or liniment, olive oil or linseed oil is substituted for the tallow.

Another ointment is composed of alcohol, fish oil and ammoniac. The only instructions given to patients are to use no intoxicating liquors, eat nothing sour, and not to wash in cold water.

He further stated that he was not a doctor but a blacksmith; that he had not gained his knowledge from any doctor or printed medical books, but that his diagnosis is based upon his feeling of the nerves from the afflicted parts of the body where they pass through the spinal cord at the back of the neck; that his ability to diagnose comes by merely feeling the back of the neck of the patients was born in him and was not possessed by any other person to his knowledge; that he was taught to distinguish and cure the several diseases by another blacksmith in Austria who treated him when he was a youth.

He refused to divulge the proportions of the several ingredients used, but declared that his system of medical science is contained in a book written for him by hand by his vulcanizer preceptor. He expressly and emphatically denied the use of croton oil but named it under its pharmaceutical name as one of his ingredients. He exhibited two beans, claiming one of them to be a croton bean and the other to be a tallow bean and maintained that they were not the same.

He denied any recollection of having treated the plaintiff Sullivan, but admitted that all sufferers from locomotor ataxia, from which Sullivan was suffering, were treated by him in the same way by the application of his tallow plaster or liniment to the back of the patient from the shoulders down.

Band Concert a Success.

There was a good turnout to the band concert given on Thursday evening by the Grand Rapids band, this being the fourth of the series this winter. A good program was given, which was appreciated by the audience, the number being the clarinet duet by Robt. Morse and Dr. Bandolin. They were given an encore and responded with another clarinet duet accompanied with a Little Bullfinch, with band accompaniment. A fantasia on Annie Laurie, ending with a humorous one was also received with considerable favor. There is one more concert to be given this winter, which will end the series. It can be truthfully said that the band will start in this spring in better shape than it was last fall.

The Widening of Vine Street.

Many people in the city are wondering about the widening of Vine street. They have paid the price and they want to know what is going to be done and when the city deals are going to do it.

Well, as near as can be found out the situation is somewhat as follows: The appraisers made the damages to Mr. Bozinger \$4500. Mr. Bozinger will not accept this amount, and has appealed to the circuit court. Then the city offered \$5000, but this is still not acceptable. Mr. Bozinger wants the sum of \$5500.

This is the way in which the matter stands at the present time, with nothing to indicate whether there will be a speedy settlement of the difficulty or not.

Under New Management.

The Olympic theater has been sold to Henry Carlson and Sandy Bender, and the management of the place will hereafter be under the supervision of Mr. Carlson. The place has been cleaned up and renovated with paint and paper and was opened on Monday night to the public. Mr. Carlson states that the place will be run in the best manner possible and that nothing will be shown there that could be objected to by the most fastidious.

The music and singing will be furnished by Misses Lulu and Ethel Hayes, and there is little question but what the place will soon become a popular one for those who like this class of entertainment.

Low Fares for Settlers, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry.

Low fares for settlers, every Tuesday from March 23rd to April 25th, inclusive, to North Dakota and Montana points on the new Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. Rates apply to Havens, Bettenger, Bowman, Emhardt and other North Dakota points, and to Baker, Miles City, Forsyth, Musselshell, Lavinia, Roundup, Harlowton, Moore, Lewistown, and other Montana stations on this new line. Complete information free from your local agent. F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

Theater Enlarged.

The partition in the Ideal theater has been moved to the extreme front of the building so as to make room in the interior of the place. Additional seats are being installed and it is expected that about fifty more can be accommodated, when all the changes are complete.

The first performance of the theater, March 18th.

MARSHFIELD WINS**Local Highschool Loses a Game of Basket Ball to Neighbors Up the Line.**

The Lincoln highschool boys and their friends and neighbors to the number of about two hundred went to Marshfield on Friday evening and played a game of basket ball with the citizens from that town. The game was a good one. The Marshfield boys made several fouls but our boys seemed to hold up their end fairly well in this line, and we think, did the work a little smoother than our neighbors.

There has been some talk since the game about our boys not getting a fair deal, but we think they came as near to it as they generally do, as Marshfield also made the same kick. This game was governed by Marquis of Queensbury rules, hitting below the belt, hitting, scratching and gouging being strictly prohibited. So far as the spectators could see the rules were observed very closely. There was one time when two of the Marshfield boys pitched out a Grand Rapids boy at the same time, and it was necessary for the spectators to climb down into the ring and expostulate with the umpire or referee or whatever he is called, but after this one lapse of rules everything went along as smoothly as could be.

The score at the end of the game stood 20 to 22. Our boys outplayed the Marshfield boys most of the time during the game, and beat them in the field at all times, the game being lost from the fact that the Grand Rapids man could not make a basket when he had a free throw, while the Marshfield boy missed but very few. Of course this is to be expected to a certain extent. While their quarters for playing in may be just as good as they are here, it is a fact that they are entirely different, and the light is different, and the consequence is that a stranger is at a disadvantage. While our boys outplayed them, it was not all our side, by any means, as the Marshfield boys put up some good team work at times, and had times all their own way. Our boys showed an strongest during the fore part of the game and again at the end, the Marshfield boys doing their playing during the middle of the game.

The locals also claim that the timekeeper clipped about three minutes off the time at the end of the game. Just when the locals were getting back onto their feet again, thus preventing them from either evening up the score or beating, as the case happened to be. The game, however, was better than the average, and was thoroughly enjoyed by the spectators, of which there was a large attendance, the army being fairly crowded crowded both upstairs and down.

After the game there was a dance which was participated in by the young people from both this city and Marshfield.

Teachers' Examinations.

The teachers' examinations for Wood County for the spring of 1909 will be held as follows:

Pittsville—March 25, 26 and 27.
Marshfield—March 29, 30 and 31.
Grand Rapids—April 1, 2, and 3.
Any person holding an unexpired third grade certificate may write on any two or more of the additional branches for a second grade certificate. If successful in two or more of these branches a new third grade certificate will be issued and the applicant may complete the second grade branches at any time during the life of said new third grade certificate. The applicant may write on the additional branches for a first grade certificate at any time during the life of the second grade certificate.ROBERT MORRIS,
Co. Sup't. of Schools.
Dated at Arpin, Wis., Mar. 8, 1909.
Clerks, please post on school house doors.**Rabbit Season Over.**

With the close of February the open season for killing rabbits, squirrels, fisher, martin or mink came to an end for hunters. At the same time began the closed season for picking bass of any variety, pike, pickerel, muskellunge, sturgeon or game fish of any kind. Any meat dealer offering for sale any fish native of this state, except white fish or lake trout, during the closed season, even if they be caught in another state, is subject to a fine of \$25, and any hotel or restaurant keeper who shall serve to his guests any such fish is liable to a like fine.

The open season for catching brook trout will begin April 15 and end Sept. 1. The open season for other game fish begins May 25.

For Sale.

Typewriter Paper, Manifest Paper, Town Order Books, School Order Books, Township Plats, Manuscript Covers. At the Tribune Office. We have typewriter paper as low as 80c per 500 sheets, and from that up to the best. We would like to show you typewriter paper. Maybe we can save you some money.

Low Colonist Rates to Pacific Coast

Daily through March and April. These special low rate tickets are available on our daily and personally conducted tours in tourist sleeping cars through to the coast, via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North Western Line.

For full particulars write S. A. Hutchinson, Manager, Tourist Dept., 212 Clark St., Chicago, Ill., or address nearest ticket agent.

Hurt at Nekoosa.

Quite an accident occurred at Nekoosa on Monday afternoon by which three men were hurt more or less seriously, but luckily nobody was killed.

The accident occurred to the log loader which is used by the paper company in loading logs. The loader was being switched from one track to another and in stopping, the loader, which is mounted on a flat car, slid to the end of the car and off to the ground. Nine men were in the house of the loader, and they were all injured to some extent.

Joseph Arnold, the engineer of the loader had his hands and face badly scalded, and Elmer Taylor, the scaler, was also scalded. The other men on the loader were Aug. Zittel, Will Leverance, Herman Lassa, Thos. Brooks, Wallace McLean, A. L. Pryne and Claude Lewis, and these sustained minor injuries.

The loader was completely wrecked and will have to be rebuilt.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Ladies, Anderson, Anne, card; DeVoe, Mrs. John, card; Hanson, Miss Anna, 2; Martenson, Miss Bessie, card; Perry, Mrs.; Peterson, Miss Annie; Sowatsky, Laura; Strack, Mrs. Louis.

Gentlemen, Cosner, A. O.; Cosner, C. Anthony; Cosner, C. C.; Hale, John E.; Hall, C. B.; Hamerman, George; Hanson, Carl; Johnston, W. J.; Kelllogg, Frank; Kottowski, Lorenz, card; Lasky, Walter M.; card; McLaughlin, Fred, card; Moss, John, card; Nichols, E. O.; Peschik, Lambert, card; Ross, C. W.; card; Schaefer, Alvin, card; Sluecher, Chester, card; Steadler, Rutherford.

Favor the Hambrecht Bills.

Assemblyman Hambrecht has introduced a couple of bills in the state legislature that are attracting considerable attention and are being favored by a large number of people. One is an anti-segregation bill which applies to the University of Wisconsin.

The other is a bill to prevent vivisection, especially among the country schools, where in the past live animals have been used by the teachers to illustrate the circulation of the blood and other points in biology.

An Open Challenge to Grand Rapids.

The Plainfield high school basketball team hereby challenges the Grand Rapids high school team to play them in this city at the opera house any night they may select. They agree to pay their fare and hotel bill, and guarantee them an interesting game. They played the Grand Rapids team at Grand Rapids and feel that they are entitled to a return game. Come over, Grand Rapids, and get a run for your money.—Plainfield Sun.

Were Compelled to Wade.

The city mail carriers had anything but a snap of it on Tuesday the heavy fall of snow and high wind making the walks about town almost impassable in some places, and it was a case of wade from start to finish. As the Northwestern mail did not get in on time to catch the afternoon delivery they did not have as big a load as they would otherwise have had.

Lectured on Horse Breeding.

A. S. Alexander, V. S., Superintendent of the department of Horse Breeding of the state university at Madison, gave an interesting lecture at the Ideal Theater on Wednesday afternoon, which was attended by a number of those interested in such subjects. Had the lecture been properly advertised there is no doubt but that there would have been a much larger attendance.

Sent to the Asylum.

August Martin of Nekoosa was brought to this city on Monday and taken before the county judge where he was examined as to his sanity. He was adjudged insane and was taken to the hospital at Oakkosh on Tuesday. Martin has been living on a farm near Nekoosa for several years past.

Candidates for Justice.

Papers have been circulated to place in nomination Burton J. Brown for the office of justice of the peace. E. N. Raminville, the present incumbent, is also in the field for the office. So far as has been heard at this time this is the only office on which there will be any contest.

Blocked by Snow.

The Northwestern railroad company was put out of business south of here on Tuesday by the heavy fall of snow and wind that prevailed all day. The blockade occurred near Wild Rose and the trains were unable to get thru at all on that day. The line has several deep cuts which are made impassable by a heavy storm accompanied with wind.

Five Dollars and Costs.

Garry Mason appeared before Justice Fritzinger on Monday and pleaded guilty to the charge of selling liquor to minors and a fine of five dollars was imposed by the justice, which with the costs amounted to something over eight dollars.

Millinery Store Re-Opened.

Misses Beck & Spangler, who have spent the past winter at their respective homes, have again opened their millinery store on Grand avenue and will be prepared at the opening of the season with an entirely new line.

—David Gieseler bought at Daly's theater, March 3rd for your seats.

Notice of Annual School Meeting
March 15, 1909

Agreeable to Section 2, Article IV grand Rapids City charter (returning to schools) notice is hereby given that the annual school meeting of grand Rapids, school district No. 1, to elect commissioners and to transact such general business as may legally come before it, will be held at the Howe school building, situated in the second ward of the city of grand Rapids, Monday, March 15, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Commissioners are to be elected as follows:

First ward—Commissioner to succeed W. H. Reeves whose term expires April 10, 1909.

Second ward—Commissioner to succeed T. W. Bracken whose term expires April 10, 1909.

Third ward—Commissioner to succeed W. P. Kelllogg whose term expires April 10, 1909.

Fourth ward—Commissioner to succeed Dr. J. J. Leary whose term expires April 10, 1909.

Fifth ward—Commissioner to succeed J. B. Hunt whose term expires April 10, 1909.

Sixth ward—Commissioner to succeed E. O. Harbeck whose term expires April 10, 1909.

Seventh ward—Commissioner to succeed C. A. Hatch whose term expires April 10, 1909.

Eighth ward—Commissioner to succeed J. W. Natwick whose term expires April 10, 1909.

H. S. Youker.

Clerk of the Board of Education. It will be impossible to hold the annual meeting in the Howe building this year owing to the fact that the assembly room in the Howe building has been divided into recitation rooms.

The meeting will be adjourned to meet at the Lincoln building the same evening, Monday, March 15, 1909, at 7:30 p. m. Citizens are requested to come direct to the Lincoln building for the annual school meeting. It was necessary to call the meeting as stated above in order to meet the provision of the city charter.

Good Templars Outing.

A number of the members of the Good Templars lodge of this city enjoyed a visit to the Randolph lodge last Friday evening. The Randolph lodge was prepared to meet them, and an elaborate program was prepared before hand. After the program was rendered, refreshments were served. The following Good Templars from this city were in attendance:

Mr. and Mrs. H. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Wood, Misses J. E. Emmmons, Dufan, Lamberton, E. Bossett, M. Bossett and Jero. Bossett, Peckham, Lamberton, Seddon, Cole, Norriss, Hughes and Bossett.

The Randolph lodge returned the visit last Monday evening, the following members from that lodge being present: Mr. and Mrs. John Grammer and Misses A. McGroun, G. Mettinger, Bule, Jacoby, Busel, Johnson, Eva Bates, Edna Bates, Jacobson, I. Bates and Messrs. Sharkey, Akey, Clark, Bule, A. Jewell, Anderson, J. B. Atkins, C. P. of Randolph lodge, E. Athine, H. Bates, H. Jacoby, Rivers, E. Bates, Geo. Bates. The Randolph lodge seemed to be well pleased with the program furnished for the occasion by the local lodge.

"The First Violin."

Splendid offering at Daly's theater. Mr. Daly is fortunate in having among his bookings a coming attraction, Mr. True K. James and a clever company, in "The First Violin," a domestic drama in four acts. The play is the famous adaptation from Jessie Fothergill's delightful story, and was originally produced by the late Richard Mansfield, at the Garden theater New York City and had a run of 200 nights. The play is now presented to the other cities for the first time with Mr. James in the title role formerly played by Mr. Mansfield. Miss Ella May Fitch is the leading lady, who has enhanced the attractiveness of the opposite role to Mr. James.

"The First Violin" relates a sweet story of domestic life in Germany, and wherever Mr. James and his company have appeared they have been highly endorsed.

This attraction will be at Daly's theater, March 18th.

"A Sprig of Shamrock"

At Daly's Opera House on St. Patrick's Day by Rev. Evans of the M. E. Church.

Mr. Evans was born and raised in Ireland and possesses all the brilliancy and wit of an educated son of the Emerald Isle. Other cities pronounce his lecture a "find." SUCH A MAN with SUCH A SUBJECT on SUCH A DAY should pack out Opera House to overflowing.

RHINELANDER HELD UP.—"Rev. Richard Evans" lectures on "A Sprig of Shamrock"—Thursday night was attended by a crowded house. The lecture was pronounced by all as one of the best that has been given here in some time.

CLINTONVILLE TRIBUNE.—"Those who have become familiar with the wit and pathos and charm of the Emerald Isle were prepared to enjoy the delightful interplay of fact and fancy, wit and wisdom, which characterized the lecture on Ireland by Rev. Richard Evans." It is evident that Mr. Evans is an enthusiastic student of Irish history and tradition, and with the interest of the lecture is enhanced not a little by the magnetic personality of the speaker who in temperament and accent is unmistakably a native product, a genuine son of "Ould Sod."

Grand Rapids Tribune

Grand Rapids, Wis., Mar. 10, '09

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.
One Year.....\$1.50
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Advertising Rates.—For display matter a flat rate of 10 cents an inch is charged. The columns in this Tribune are 24 inches long, making one column advertisement cost \$2.40 per insertion. All local notices, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all notices of entertainments where an admission fee is charged will be published at 5 cents per line.

Issue Stephens was again elected United States senator on Thursday on the twenty-third ballot. We do not know whether there was anybody in the state who thought that he would not be elected or not, and at the present time we can hardly see the object in stalling along for the time they did and putting off his election. It strikes us that he was elected when the ballots were counted that were cast at the primary election, and that all the legislature had to do with it was to ratify the will of the people. We have nothing to say as to whether he will make a good senator or whether he is too old, or too rich, or too corrupt, these are matters that should have been taken into consideration before now. The investigation that was held to find out how much money was spent and how he spent it was all a farce. We all know that he spent money and we all know about how it was spent. It was not the first time that he spent money to secure a public office nor is it all likely that he will be the last. There is no question but what it is a bad thing to spend money to secure offices, but it is done from the lowest in to the highest, and it is recognized as legitimate business for a candidate to spend money in securing an election. The law does not state how much nor how little the candidate shall spend, nor does it specify how the money shall be used. While this does not make the spending of money to secure an election morally right, it does make it a legal proposition to the vestigial campaign expenses after it is all over.

A bill has been introduced in the assembly of the state of Wisconsin by one Mr. Bichter who wants to put a special tax on automobiles. Mr. Bichter also sends along a printed letter in which he tells his reasons for wanting the bill passed. He feels that all of this good roads agitation is from the automobilists, and not from the farmers, and consequently the automobilists should pay more than his share of the tax. Now we were never very strong on special privileges, and consequently we cannot see the justice of special taxes. We think that everything of value should pay its just share of the tax, but not any more than its just share. The automobile is a new thing and those who are using them are paying heavy prices for the privilege, which is enough without putting on any more. If the automobilists have been the means of making up the country to the building of better roads, for heavens sake give them a special tax. The average country road has needed improving for a number of years now, and the public in general should be glad that something has happened to wake up the people on the subject.

Farmers' Institutes for 1909-10.
If you are interested in getting an institute in your locality, begin talking to the under up at once. Write for a blank petition, and have it signed and returned to this office before August 1, 1909.

Accompanying this blank petition will be a letter of instructions telling what is expected of towns to which institutes are granted, and explaining what part of the work is done by the institute management.

Address all communications regarding institute matters to Geo. McClellan, Madison, Wis.

A Great Wisconsin Farm Paper

No agricultural paper in the United States has made such remarkable progress during the past year as has been shown by the Wisconsin Farmer, published weekly at Madison. Every department of the paper has been made brighter, fresher, more attractive, and more representative of the agricultural, horticultural, dairying, stock raising and other farm interests of the great state of Wisconsin. The Wisconsin Farmer is especially strong in its editorials, which cover every phase of farm life and thought in this state. It has, also, a large corps of special contributors from the experiment stations of the northwest and among the successful farmers in dairymen and other specialists in agricultural and semi-agricultural lines. It maintains, in addition to an editorial department devoted to dairymen, horticulture, poultry, sheep, hound farm devices, farm law, veterinary matters, current events, home and Sunday school, its home department, edited by a lady who is familiar by experience with farm life, is an exceedingly valuable feature. The paper is attractively illustrated and, being edited by bona fide farmers, who live on and operate their own farms, is intensely practical. The subscription price is \$1.00 a year. Address the Wisconsin Farmer Company, Tonaway Block, Madison, Wis., or leave your subscription at this office. We make a low combination clubbing rate for the Wisconsin Farmer in connection with the Grand Rapids Tribune.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure all cases of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes. John E. Daly and Johnson & Hill Co.

SIGEL

John Sedall and family, who have been visiting at the home of Frank Sedall, left for their home in Wisconsin on Thursday. Their little daughter has been quite sick for some time past but is considerably better at this writing.

Frank Sedall is figuring on building a barn on his premises during the coming summer and has already commenced to haul the stone for the building. The structure will be 36x60 feet, the lower story to be of stone and the upper story of wood. When finished he will have a fine up to date barn.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season was a party given at the Holstrom home Saturday night, Feb. 27th, in honor of Miss Hilda. Refreshments were served, and the evening was passed away very pleasantly. Those present were Misses Ellen and Ruth Newman, Miss Peterson, Floy Berg, Mary Coleman, Hannah Kronholm, Hilda Holstrom, Ida Nordstrom, Lydia Grandfors and Anna Dushmaker and Messrs. Arthur Bergstrom, Carl and John Holstrom, Albert Peterson, Eric and Joe Nordstrom, George Forslund, August Coleman, Eric Grandstedt, Frank and John Newman, George Olofson and Oscar Kronholm.

Y. P. S. was held last Monday night at the home of Emanuel Worland. Rev. Sator of Bay City, Mich., preached in the Lutheran church here last Friday.

Chas. Blomquist, a former resident of this place, is visiting friends here. Miss Mayme Gutbechak spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Grand Rapids.

Miss Mary Nelson, who attends high school at Grand Rapids, spent Friday and Saturday at her home here.

Miss Gertrude Anderson is at home after having been employed at the Rapids for a length of time. George Gronow spent Sunday as usual at the Grandstedts.

August Coleman left last week for Minneapolis to secure employment. There was a party at the Julius Nelson home last Sunday. All present report a good time.

Misses Francis and Rosie Yedko are visiting at home. Almost everyone attended the "social hop" held at Emanuel Worland's place. All present report a royal good time.

John Schuetz sold a horse for one hundred and sixty dollars last Friday. John is now in the market for another good draft animal.

Walter Zeman left the misfortune of cutting his foot with an ax, hurting it quite badly. His many friends hope he will soon be around again.

SARATOGA

The material is on the ground for our new meeting house and we expect soon to be holding Sabbath meetings in our home. The work of building will go forward as rapidly as possible. The church is to be a frame building, stone foundation, and we hope to have a pastor with us each Sunday. The building stands on the N. E. corner of J. P. Peterson's place.

The three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Margery, who has been very sick with pneumonia, is rapidly improving at this writing.

The plan for a lumber saw in our neighborhood fell thru and our farmers are busy husking their logs to the mill at Kellner.

NEKOOSA

The village school district and District No. 5 including the annexed territory of the village will probably be consolidated as the result of the efforts of W. J. Higgins and others residing in the outside district, the village board having recommended this to the state superintendent by action last Monday evening. It will not be remembered that before the Wood River territory was annexed to the village of Nekoosa it formed part of School District No. 4 of the town of Port Edwards, which district was divided, and out of the old district, D. 1, 4 and 5 were formed, the latter including the Wood River and some territory not annexed to the village.

Ernest Hame, the well known farmer, is languishing in county jail and will have to remain there for three months unless some good Samaritan comes along and helps him out. Some days ago Hame threatened to kill his wife and yesterday she had him arrested and brought before Justice Leika. On default of bondsman on a \$200 bond to keep the peace for three months the defendant was committed to county jail.

Earle Pousse, Guy Wood and M. O. Braumhan were among a sleighload of Grand Rapids people who enjoyed a sleighride to Nekoosa last Monday evening, calling on Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. Nash.

Mrs. Lou Schlatter and Mrs. R. C. Scholbe of Grand Rapids were visiting friends here on Tuesday.

HOME CURE FOR ECZEMA.
Oil of Wintergreen, Thymol, Glycerine, etc. Used as a Simple Wash.
—It really seems strange that so many people suffer year in and year out with eczema, when it is now no longer a secret that oil of wintergreen mixed with thymol, glycerine, etc., makes a wash that is bound to cure. Old, obstinate cases if it is true, cannot be cured in a day, but there is absolutely no sufferer from eczema who over used this simple wash and did not find immediately relief. It wonderfully soothes, calms, cool sensation that comes when the itch is taken away. Instantly upon applying a few drops of the wash the remedy takes effect. The itch is allayed. There is no need of experiment—the patient knows at once.

Instead of trying to compound the oil of wintergreen, thymol, glycerine, etc., in the right proportions ourselves we are using a prescription which is universally found the most effective. It is known as the D. D. D. Prescription, or Oil of Wintergreen Compound. It is made by the D. D. D. Co. of Chicago, and our long experience with this remedy has given us great confidence in its merits.

John E. Daly.

HANSEN
From the amount of blood spilled and the area of wallowed snow a battle royal must have taken place on the high road near here one day last week. Three of the hounds of the veteran hunter, S. Merritt of Pittsville, brought to bay a wolf at this point. Roars of one of the dogs and the howling of the other two were heard for miles around. The wolf was shot through the back door of his farm residence. 'Twas not a case of "didn't know it was loaded" but of a faulty look on the gun.

RUDOLPH

Wm. Slattery has rented his farm to his son Emmett and will move to Grand Rapids to reside.

Frank Whitman has rented his farm to Paul Masch and intends to move to the Rapids, where his son is attending school. We understand Mr. Whitman will make a trip thru the west to look over that country.

Ed Warner and Henry Timm of Grand Rapids will leave this spring for a visit with Fred Eeox in Washington and if they find the country to their liking they will buy a piece of fruit land.

Nic Ratelli has purchased a fancy stallion for \$1500.

Mrs. H. H. Kuehling of Tomahawk spent several days last week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Blair.

Jasper Grotzow expects to leave in the near future for a visit with relatives in Montana and Washington.

Mrs. Delight Livernash went up to Tomahawk Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Bade and two children, Emory and Hazel, departed for Milwaukee Thursday.

Geo. Bales and Harry Rivers were busy hauling lumber Thursday and Friday.

Michael Bouson came up from Grand Rapids Saturday.

Myrtle VanBert came up from Nekoosa to spend Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Roberts spent Sunday at the Benson home.

REMINGTON

A crowd of relatives from Nekoosa and many of their friends around here surprised Mr. and Mrs. R. Hess the occasion being Mr. Hess' birthday last Saturday. Lunch was served and all went to the cheese factory and danced all night and reported a fine time preclaiming Mr. and Mrs. Hess royal entertainers.

Mrs. Lowe returned from Tomahawk last Thursday where she has been visiting with relatives.

O. S. Lowe made a trip to Tomahawk to see his sister, Mrs. Mathers who is seriously ill.

Miss Rosa Sanger returned from Grand Rapids where she has been visiting relatives.

Miss Agnes Teonan of Dexterville visited with friends here a few days last week.

Fred and Tillie Rutz are home from Milwaukee on an extended visit.

Mr. Archer of Marshfield was a guest the Lowe home last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Sauer departed for Grand Rapids last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Miller.

R. E. Hess made a business trip to Pittsville last Friday.

The Ludlows held services at the schoolhouse last Saturday.

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Kidney Remedy and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Kidney Remedy saved his life." A. Wolke, Casimer, Wis. John E. Daly and Johnson & Hill Co.

BLENKER.
There will be a Catholic mission held at the Catholic church next week. Mission will begin Sunday March fourteenth and continue till the 21st.

Adjoined Annual Session of the County Board of Supervisors of Wood County, Wisconsin.

Continued from last week.

EXHIBIT "A."
P. F. Bean, County Treasurer in account with Wood County, Wis. January 7, 1907 to January 4, 1909.

	1907	1908	Total
Jan. 7, 1907 Cash on hand.....	\$ 1873 27	\$ 1873 27	\$ 3746 54
State tax.....	11468 20	32563 44	44031 64
State loans to towns.....	3015 00	2994 00	6009 00
State loans to school districts.....	2431 81	2812 79	5244 60
State school fund.....	24097 73	24831 35	48929 08
State library fund.....	1166 50	1132 30	2298 80
County school fund.....	23816 02	25264 23	49080 25
County Sup't's salary.....	1500 00	1500 00	3000 00
Soldiers relief fund.....	400 00	400 00	800 00
Legal aid school fund.....	301 37	487 66	789 03
Per's, property charged back.....	32 78	23 60	56 38
Bridge tax.....	3574 38	8835 18	12409 56
Support of poor.....	1500 00	1800 00	3300 00
County training school.....	3107 18	3500 00	6607 18
State aid to training school.....	31942 38	33422 40	65364 78
Cash on county tax.....	7805 45	8410 58	16216 03
Inheritance tax.....	532 00	693 00	1225 00
Taxes paid before sale.....	112 00	86 00	198 00
Fines.....	38 16	179 84	218 00
Suit tax.....	6 33	37 11	43 44
Assigned certificates.....	167 68	211 90	379 58
Redeemed certificates.....	35 00	38 51	73 51
Interest on same.....	287 37	188 51	475 88
Interest on deposits.....	95 50	140 00	235 50
Marriage licenses from county clerk.....	188 68	521 77	710 45
Outlaid redemptions from county clerk.....	11 00	11 00	22 00
Supt. of poor farm.....	94 30	94 30	188 60
Sale of old desk in judge's office.....	313 30	313 30	626 60
Special state school fund for Seneca.....	42 00	42 00	84 00
Costs Langlade county.....	923 00	923 00	1846 00
Costs Marathon county.....	91 34	91 34	182 68
M. H. Jackson, book rent.....	1 00	1 00	2 00
Ins., damage by lightning to court house.....	16 10	10 20	26 30
Portage county library fund Jt. Dist.....	3 17	3 17	6 34
Janeau county library fund Jt. Dist.....	3 17	3 17	6 34
Poor account rec'd. from Portage Co.....	126166 97	155412 33	281579 30
Balance over-draft.....			7608 38
			\$ 289187 70

	1907	1908	Total
State tax.....	\$1468 20	\$32563 44	\$44031 64
State loans to towns.....	3015 00	2994 00	6009 00
State loans to school districts.....	2431 81	2812 79	5244 60
State school fund.....	24097 73	24831 35	48929 08
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County school fund to towns.....	23816 02	25264 23	49080 25
County school fund.....	400 00	400 00	800 00
Soldiers relief fund.....	221 16	500 13	721 29
Fines to state.....	116 00	112 00	228 00
Suit tax to state.....	32 28	490 90	523 18
Inheritance tax to state.....	63 43	94 01	157 44
Special state school fund to Seneca.....	1583 68	62 75	1646 43
Town Treasurers making reports.....	17 82	58 38	76 20
Defendants paid town.....			
Interest on overdraft at Bank.....			

	1907	1908	Total
County orders.....	\$3289 31	\$2120 25	\$5409 56
Court orders.....	2045 03	2145 37	4190 40
Jurors orders.....	3448 77	3587 80	7036 57
Witness orders.....	41 00	16 24	57 24
Training school orders.....	3744 00	7920 84	11664 84
Hawk and crow orders.....	83 40	2 55	85 95
Fox orders.....		120 00	120 00
	130290 64	148897 06	279187 70
Cash on hand belonging to the funds as follows:—			
Fines and suit tax due state.....		\$ 779 00	\$ 779 00
Training school fund.....		731 28	731 28
Library fund.....		37 67	37 67
General fund overdraft.....			\$ 7608 38
Total overdraft.....			\$ 7608 38

	1907	1908	Total
On hand Jan. 7th, 1907.....	\$ 1477 27		\$ 1477 27
Received from sale 1907.....		436 37	436 37
Received from sale 1908.....		380 15	380 15
Total.....		2293 79	2293 79

EXHIBIT "B."

To the Honorable the County Board of Supervisors of Wood County, Wisconsin:
Gentlemen:—I herewith submit my final report of the business done in the office of the county clerk, during my term beginning Jan. 7th, 1907, and ending Jan. 4th, 1909.

	1907	1908	Total
Cash on hand Jan. 7th, 1907.....	\$ 888 07		\$ 888 07
Redemption received 1907 and 1908.....		8260 39	8260 39
Redemptions paid 1907 and 1908.....		\$ 8090 88	\$ 8090 88
Balance cash on hand paid F. H. Eberhardt.....		1057 88	1057 88
	\$ 9148 46	\$ 9148 46	\$ 9148 46

	1907	1908	Total
Cash on hand Jan. 7th, 1907.....	\$ 12 94		\$ 12 94
Received for tax deeds and certificates.....		238 65	238 65
Received for tax deeds and certificates.....		100 20	100 20
Paid out as per schedule "A".....		\$ 347 84	\$ 347 84
Cash on hand paid F. H. Eberhardt.....		3 95	3 95
	\$ 351 79	\$ 351 79	\$ 351 79

	1907	1908	Total
Received for marriage licenses 1907 and 1908.....	\$ 235 50		\$ 235 50
Paid County Treasurer.....		\$ 235 50	\$ 235 50

	1907	1908	Total
I have issued Wood County orders as follows:—			
Support of poor.....	\$ 10785 87		\$ 10785 87
Officers salaries.....	16675 80		16675 80
Court House.....	8121 28		8121 28
Sheriff's account.....	9997 60		9997 60
Justices, jurors, witness and constables fees.....	4266 51		4266 51
Hungry men.....	751 76		751 76
Members of county board.....	6185 39		6185 39
Soldiers relief.....	89 05		89 05
All others.....	35824 24		35824 24
Bridge appropriation.....	13236 63		13236 63
Bounties.....	582 00		582 00
	\$ 106515 81		\$ 106515 81

All of which is respectfully submitted,
Signed, Geo. W. Davis.
Dated this 4th day of January, 1909.

	1907	1908	Total
Paid express.....	\$ 44 61		\$ 44 61
Paid freight and drayage.....	14 66		14 66
Paid for printing, paper, ink, pencils, postals, etc.....	29 31		29 31
Paid for postage.....	75 18		75 18
Paid for delivering Judicials 1907 and 1908.....	98 37		98 37
Primary 1908 General election 1908.....	65 71		65 71
Supplies for different offices.....	20 00		20 00
Register of Deeds, postage 1907 and 1908.....		347 84	347 84
Certified list of redemptions which have remained in the County Clerk's office over six months.....			
No. Date of sale Name of purchaser When redeemed Amt.			
684 1898 Martin Pyl Feb. 18, 1901 \$ 6 90			
342 1898 Rev. Wm. Eggers May 16, 1901 12 44			
343 1898 Rev. Wm. Eggers May 16, 1901 7 32			
344 1898 Rev. Wm. Eggers May 16, 1901 7 32			
345 1898 Rev. Wm. Eggers May 16, 1901 7 32			
1078 1897 So. Bluff Cran. Co. Nov. 15, 1901 5 60			
222 1899 Mary Connor Mar. 14, 1902 5 12			
1127 1900 E. E. E. Sept. 10, 1902 10 28			
557 1900 Ward and Wood Dec. 18, 1902 4 60			
485 1901 Ward and Wood Dec. 18, 1902 3 50			
744 1900 C. E. Babcock Dec. 24, 1902 7 03			
			\$ 75 69

Office of County Clerk, Grand Rapids, Wis., Dec. 26th, 1908.
State of Wisconsin, Wood County, SS.
I, Geo. W. Davis, County Clerk of Wood County, Wis., do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of redemptions which have remained in the county clerk's office six (6) years unclaimed, and the same having been paid to the County Treasurer this 26th day of December, 1908.



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CONDENSED REPORT

WOOD CO. NATIONAL BANK

Grand Rapids, Wisconsin

As Made to the Comptroller of the Currency Feb. 5, 1909

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$775,652.80
U. S. Bonds (at par).....	100,000.00
Other Bonds (at par).....	20,100.00
Real Estate.....	39,237.72
Cash and Exchange.....	131,215.99
	\$

Grand Rapids Tribune
BY DRUMB & SUTOR.
GRAND RAPIDS, WISCONSIN.

Wireless telegraphy has been winning victories that have made it famous the world over.

Daily health hint: Do not attempt to dislodge the right of way with a determined woman armed with a hat pin.

"Alligator" is merely another form of the Spanish "lizard." The lizard, Shakespeare called the alligator as a fish.

The wireless heroes are having poetry in bulk written about them. But that is among the penalties of all greatness.

The spelling-reformers have put out another list of mangled words. Where is the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to the English Language?

The management of the steam roads entering Paris is considering a proposition to electrify all lines for some considerable distance into the suburbs.

During the year ending last month there were 385 new electric plants put into operation in the United States, Canada and Mexico, which makes the total 5,188.

Many thing about our withdrawal from Cuba is that the new republic is now able to have all the cock fights and bull fights it wants, and we don't dare say a word.

If those men who pretend to determine the height of mountains have been waving the figures, some of them are likely to prove scientifically that Pike's Peak is a hole in the ground.

A Wisconsin woman who broke her arm set it herself. Next thing the public hears from a woman of such self reliance as this will be that she closely examined a cut on the back of her neck.

"Anogram" is a fairly good word. It signifies wireless messages. Science has added many words to the language within the last few years. A tip on which, returning today, after 20 years' sleep, would have much to learn in the way of common speech.

A young woman passenger rescued from the Republic wore a cloak over the Republic and shoes without stockings, but clapped tightly in her hands a bunch of violets that she had fingered long enough to save. Consider the possible romance involved in that incident!

Boxes for cigars and cigarette ends have been placed in Berlin cafes and public buildings by a charity organization, and enough money is expected to feed and clothe 1,728 children during the winter months. What becomes of the amount is a secret fortunately kept from the smokers.

The regents of the University of Minnesota have ordered that each faculty shall have a faculty of children each fifth birthday. Next time, it is said, half a dozen old gentlemen will call the class roll for the last time, unless they have followed the example of their president, Dr. Northrop, and sent in their resignations.

Lord Northcliffe, the great English newspaper proprietor, was so impressed by the attractiveness of the gray squirrels in American parks that he took home a number of pairs to be liberated in England. It may still be permitted to hunt them if they are strangers, and where, therefore, their natural enemies have not developed, they may become as great a nuisance as the English sparrow here, and the rabbit in Australia. Transplanting animals is always somewhat risky.

Government experiments may solve the problem of preventing explosions in coal mines. If human care and forethought will only co-operate with science in the great art of prevention, an avoidable minimum. But the first obstacle of the combination is the one on which least reliance can be placed. The tendency of human nature, remarks the Boston Herald, to take chances rather than to take safety, is the hardest obstacle, which preventive science will ever have to overcome.

Lawyers and physicians in New York are trying to bring about legislation which will do away with "ex parte" testimony at trials. Experience shows that expert evidence practically serves no other end at present than to impede justice and cause delays at once useless and expensive to the state, as both sides can provide "experts" to give contradictory opposite testimony, and the practice has become a legal nuisance, if not something of a scandal in the administration of justice.

"Remember the Maine" has now been changed to "Remember the Maine."

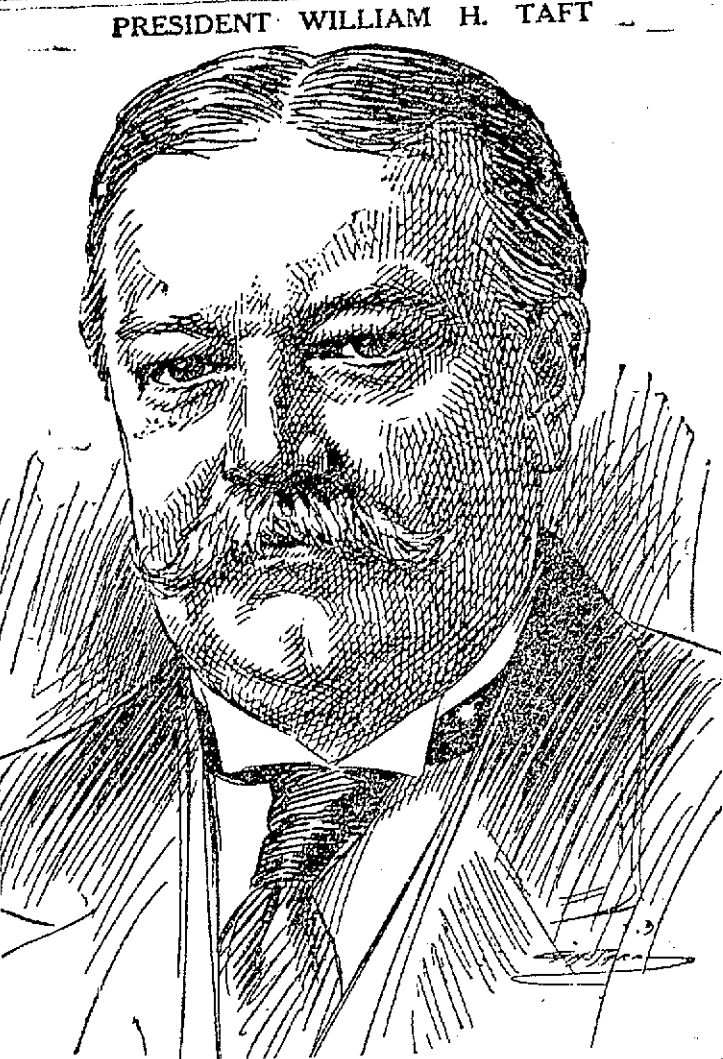
An artist who left Philadelphia 40 years ago to make name and fortune for himself has returned to this country from Paris at the age of 60 to marry the sweetheart of his youth, who having obliquely refused to marry him, he had succeeded, from which it may be assumed that he considered it more desirable for her to marry the artist than the man. But oh, how slow those Philadelphia are!

Death from starvation was the verdict at a Shorefield (England) inquest on a woman match seller named Upson, aged 61. Her husband said he was 81, and they had only 30 cents a week to live on.

In an article on the danger of long hours in drugstore shops Hygienische Zeitschrift says that during the four years ending July, 1907, 13 dispensing assistants in German drug stores committed suicide and seven others attempted, but failed, to kill themselves.

Voices unheard by the outer ear speak to the soul; presences unseen by the eye are yet felt, giving their sympathy and stimulus.—Lillian Whiting.

The liberty bell is a great traveler, and its coming trip to the Pacific slope, undertaken in the true American spirit, will be a noble lesson in the history of the United States. It is a fetish that should be seen by all peoples gathered on this soil, even if it is permitted them to worship it after the manner of graven images.



FURIOUS STORM MARS INAUGURATION OF TAFT

New President Takes Oath and Delivers Address in Senate Chamber.

Washington, Mar. 6.—William H. Taft was inaugurated as president yesterday amid the worst weather conditions that ever have marked the great national event. So severe was the snow and sleet storm that the new chief magistrate was forced to take the oath and deliver his inaugural address in the senate chamber.

For more than 24 hours the storm raged, and at noon there was about eight inches of snow on the ground. The wind thrashed many of the trees, and the snow was blowing in great clouds. The inauguration was a day of strenuousness in Washington and as if in sympathy with the outlook executive the weather made a bilkwardly attempt to ruin the thousands who were gathered to witness the event. The weather man could turn on.

To add the final touch of strenuousness, Mr. Roosevelt declined to ride to the railroad station from which he departed to Oyster Bay. He walked through the snow.

Ball and Parade Given. Though the thousands of citizens who had come here from all over the country were denied the privilege of witnessing the solemn ceremonies attending the administering of the oath to the new president, the more so the features of the day were not tattered features of the storm.

Public Photograph Gallery. The Royal Photographic Society of England, has been annoyed by the refusal of the National portrait gallery to exhibit photographs and has decided to establish a national gallery of photographic portraiture. The society has met with enthusiastic support from all those interested in the photographic art. A large number of photographs has been received and the gallery will be thrown open to the public at certain periods in the near future.

New York's Enormous Debt. The New York city department of finance has made public a statement of the funded indebtedness of the municipality dated to November 30, 1905. At that time there was a funded debt outstanding of \$794,196,189 and a temporary debt of \$22,378,000, making a combined gross indebtedness of \$816,574,189.

Burden Wood Jolts Will Bear. A wood jolt four inches deep supports four times as much weight as a jolt half that depth.

Making an Impression. "That man always seems to have something on his mind," said the observant friend.

"Yes," answered Miss Cyrenne. "He proves the desirability of devoting his talents to some one object. He has made a profound study of facial expression."

Hound Fitted with Glass Eye. Having lost an eye in a scrimmage, one of the hounds of the Essex (Eng.) Harriers has been supplied with a glass one.

watched by a most delighted multitude. The display began by the discharge of 101 aerial guns, the national salute, and was followed by the lighting of 250 pyrotechnic fires which changed color a number of times. The illumination was superb and the effect of the changing lights on the towering marble shaft of the Washington monument was extremely beautiful. Then came the flight of 150 rocket bombs fired from several positions so as to blend their various colors, and then in rapid succession the discharge of a battery of magnesium balloons followed by a marvelous sun cluster and batteries of fiery globes, and the burning of great quantities of ruby fire, which gave its red tint to every object within a radius of many squares.

National Shield in Bombs. "The Star Spangled Banner" excited the admiration of the great throng of spectators. It was produced by the electrical discharging of many large bombs picturing the national shield in its true colors, suspended among the clouds. One of the great features of the display was the wonderful "Pillar of Light," rising 100 feet into the air, arranged in five tiers and lighting up the whole southern section of the city. Then came batteries of flashing candles emitting blinding flashes, closely resembling real lightning, and followed by peals of thunder. Another new feature was the crescendo repeating bombs. The first shell fired broke with one explosion, the second with two, and so on up to the twenty-first with twenty-one explosions.

Nearly the last and the greatest sensation of the whole exhibition was a set piece, "The Battle in the Sky," showing a city with its spires and lofty buildings, some of them 200 feet high, and filling a space on the ground 500 feet long. An airship is seen passing over it, followed by others. These turn and are met by an opposing aerial fleet, when a battle ensues. One airship after another is seen exploding and falling. In the meantime other airships float over the city, dropping fiery bombs, wrecking the buildings which crumble and fall until all are utterly destroyed. The action of the encounter of the aeroplanes and the destruction of the city were marvelously realistic.

Parade in the Snow. The parade in the afternoon had a hard time of it, but manfully pushed their way through the snow and sleet. Maj. Gen. J. Franklin Bell was the grand marshal. The military division had the right of way after the president's escort. At its head were the West Point cadets and the midshipmen from the naval academy at Annapolis. The cadets and both schools were cheered at every inaugural parade in which they have taken part. Immediately behind the future officers of army and navy were the regulars of the military service. In the line were the 2,000 men who had formed the Cuban army of pacification.

In the waters of Hampton roads for ten days the fleet which had made its record-breaking journey around the world had been assembled. The battleships, the cruisers, the destroyers and the torpedo boats were drawn upon the "diamond" to give the sea and the air an adequate representation in the inaugural ceremonies. There were



Vice-President Sherman.

3,000 sailors from the Connecticut, the Illinois and the other ships of Sperry's fleet in the parade. The marines followed the sailors.

National Guardsmen There. Next came the National Guardsmen from various states of the union, and their excellent marching and evolutions elicited enthusiastic applause.

Government Money in Banks. There are as many dollars of government money deposited in national banks as there are people in the United States.

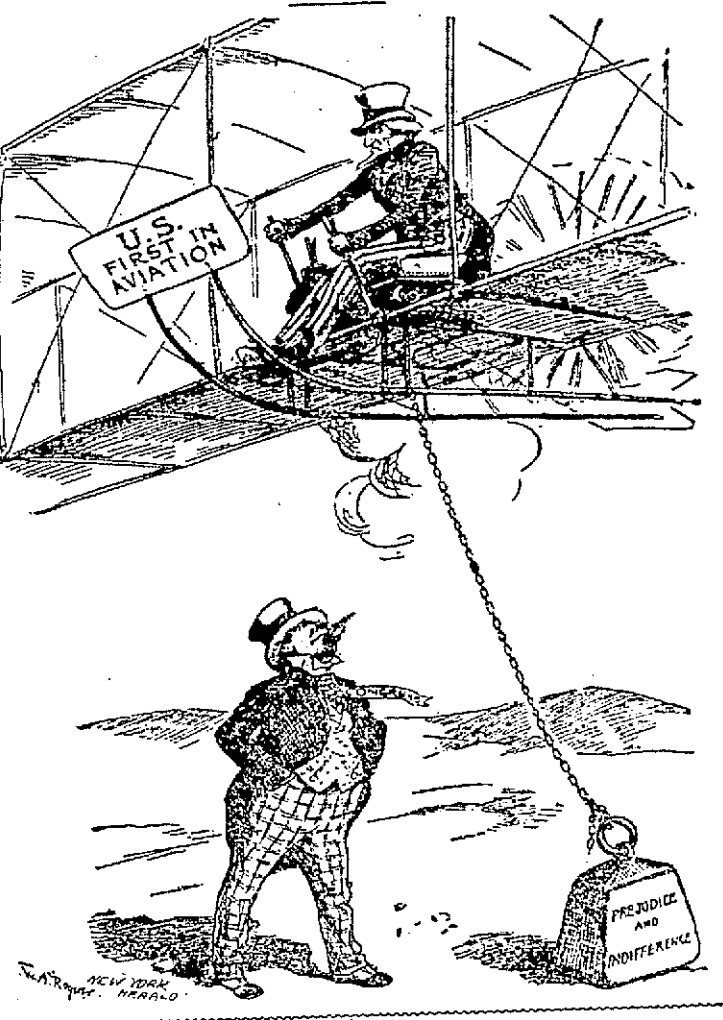
Varying Sugar Consumption. The Australians eat an average of 129 pounds of sugar each, every year, the United States 89 pounds, Germany 36 pounds, France 32 pounds and Great Britain 31 pounds, but in the latter country the ratio is going up.

To Mine Asbestos in Cyprus. Asbestos is found in the island of Cyprus, and a company organized in 1905, obtaining a concession in the island, began to open a mine early in 1907. Up to the end of that year 1,000 tons of asbestos were mined.

House Votes On Cigarettes. Jefferson, Mo.—The anti-cigarette bill was passed in the house of the Missouri legislature Wednesday by a vote of 98 to 22.

Keep Up War Preparations. Berlin.—A special dispatch from Berlin to the Lokai Anzeiger says that in spite of all denials, the mobilization of troops by the Serbian government is still continues and is not confined to two divisions. The correspondent states that he saw 600 reserves on Sunday, 2,000 on Monday, and 3,000 Tuesday sent forward in the direction of Nish, which lies about 120 miles southeast of Belgrade, and which is a place of considerable importance, being at the junction of several of the railway lines.

World's Consumption of Rubber. The world's demand of rubber amounts to 125,000,000 pounds annually.



TEN MEET DEATH IN A FIRE

TENEMENT HOUSE BLAZE IN NEW YORK. Firemen in Daring Rescue—Police Also Aid in Cutting Down Death Toll of Conflagration.

New York.—Cut off from escape by a burning stairway, ten persons perished Wednesday in a five-story tenement house at 372-4 Seventh avenue. The victims, who were all Italians, with the exception of one, were killed by flying glass, and a male child about a year old, were injured and taken to hospitals. It was at first believed that the blaze was incendiary, following a "black hand" blackmailing letter which an account of the building was received several months ago. The fire marshals and police after investigating reported that the fire was not of incendiary origin.

The only member of the Travisono family who survived the fire was Mario, aged 15, who left home to visit friends.

There were about 30 families, mostly Italians, in the tenement house, and the policemen and firemen rescued many of them by ladders and by swinging them across from windows to neighboring buildings. Several babies were thrown from the windows and caught by firemen who were standing on the extension ladders.

The street floor of the building was occupied by the undertaking rooms of Patrick McDonald and the Lincoln restaurant, while Antonio Urso, a barber, occupied the basement.

The fire started in the bottom of an air-shaft and was discovered by Patrick Monks, a watchman in the undertaking rooms. Monks ran upstairs and awakened the McDonald family and Mr. and Mrs. McDonald and their four children were passed across a narrow alleyway to the windows of an adjoining building, whence they escaped. Monks then returned to the building and the hallways of which were then blazing and filled with smoke. He rapped on the doors of the apartments up to the third floor, awakened the occupants, and then turned in a fire alarm.

Most of the occupants of the tenement were asleep when the fire began and many of them were overcome before awakening.

Win Eight-Hour Day. Cincinnati.—The union men won and the employers lost in the long fought case of the Typothetae Printing Pressmen's union, according to a decision rendered Tuesday afternoon by the United States circuit court of appeals.

Girl Stenographer Claims \$5,000,000. Lansing, Mich.—Miss Irene Rickard, stenographer in the office of the secretary of the Michigan grand lodge of Odd Fellows, is reported to have established a claim to a \$5,000,000 share of a \$44,000,000 estate in Scotland and Canada, which was left by a great-uncle.

Will Start Big Paper Plant. New York.—Officers of the American Newspaper Publishers' association have been advised that E. W. Beckus of Minneapolis has closed a contract for four newspaper papermaking machines to be delivered at International Falls, Minn., upon the stip for use on January 1, 1917. They will have a capacity of 600 feet a minute. Two will be 152 inches wide and two will have a width of 182 inches, 13 inches wider than the widest papermaking machine in use.

Try Postmaster for Bootlegging. Louisville, Ky.—Charles Mullen, postmaster of Savoy, Champagne county, is being tried in federal court on a charge of bootlegging. Local federal officials say this is the first case that they have ever known of a federal official being tried for violation of the United States law.

Body Found in Car of Cinders. Valley, Neb.—The body of an unidentified man, buried to a crisp, was found in a carload of cinders shipped about two weeks ago from Council Bluffs over the Union Pacific.

Retirement for Col. Tucker. Washington.—The case of Col. William F. Tucker of the pay department was received here Thursday by the board recommended that Tucker be transferred to the retired list.

Pleads Guilty; Commits Suicide. Madison, Wis.—Samuel White, a confessed forger who pleaded guilty in the municipal court Monday morning of forgery and committed suicide in the jail, was committed suicide in the county jail.

CABINET APPROVED

TAFT'S OFFICIAL FAMILY CONFIRMED BY SENATE.

SEVEN TAKE THE OATH

MacVeagh and Dickinson Are to Be Sworn in Next Week—Carpenter Succeeds Loeb as President's Secretary.

Washington.—All the members of President Taft's cabinet except Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh, Secretary of War Dickinson and Attorney General Wickham were sworn in Saturday. Personal business keeps Secretaries MacVeagh and Dickinson in Chicago for a week. The attorney general took the oath of office Friday.

The senate confirmed all the cabinet members, who have been sworn in before their expiration of term. An important conference took place between President Taft and the cabinet members of the ways and means committee. The committee framed a tariff bill which it is understood contains a provision for the collection of an inheritance tax, one of the suggestions for raising revenue contained in the inaugural address of President Taft.

President Taft told the committee there would be no delay in the official proclamation calling the extra session of congress for March 15. His message to this session, he said, would be commended that it contained his work exclusively to tariff revision that there might be no unnecessary delay in enacting this most important law.

President Taft Friday gave himself up heartily to the demands of his friends and thousands of inaugural visitors who wished to shake his hand, see his smile and get a word to carry home with them.

Senator C. C. Knox had the honor of being the first caller on President Taft, who took his seat at the desk, abandoned Thursday by Theodore Roosevelt, in the White House building at precisely 9:20 o'clock in the morning.

Gov. Hughes of New York, Gov. Proctor of Vermont, and the senators and many of the representatives from those states next had the ear of President Taft and gained his consent to attend the celebration, July 7 and 8 next, of the discovery of Lake Champlain at Plattsburgh and Burlington. Senator Root is to be the principal speaker at the former place.

After reviewing the "crack" Seventh regiment, New York Infantry, the president returned to the east room, where he received with their staffs, the governors of New York, Rhode Island, Vermont, New Jersey, Illinois and Missouri. Many political clubs, civic and military organizations, were also received.

Frank W. Carpenter took the oath of office as secretary to the president at three o'clock along with Col. William Crooks of the White House executive force, who is a notary. President Taft signed Mr. Carpenter's commission.

Wendell W. Michler, who has been Mr. Taft's assistant secretary and stenographer, made one of Mr. Carpenter's assistants, taking the place made vacant by the transfer of Assistant Secretary Latta to the position of executive clerk. William Leach, who was President Roosevelt's secretary, was appointed collector of the port at New York.

WAS INDIANA MAN SLAIN?

Chicago Held to Explain Valparaiso Merchant's Disappearance.

Chicago.—Lillian McDermott, 24 years old, Albany avenue, was taken into custody by detectives of the Central police station Friday in connection with the mysterious disappearance of George Lafoure, 35 years old, a wealthy shoe merchant, who has been missing from his home in Valparaiso, Ind., since March 10.

Lafoure came to Chicago three weeks ago with a large amount of money in his possession to put through a business deal. His wife declares she has not heard from him since he left home. According to Capt. O'Brien, a check for \$20, bearing Lafoure's signature, was found in the prisoner's possession.

ROOSEVELT PLANS TO SAIL MARCH 23.

Ex-President Plans to Depart on That Day for Africa.

Oyster Bay, N. Y.—Ex-President Roosevelt announced Friday for the first time that he will sail from New York for Africa on March 23 at noon. He will take passage on the steamer Hamburg.

Mr. Roosevelt said also that he had received so many letters, telegrams and cablegrams that it would be physically impossible for him to answer one-tenth of them. Wearing a knickerbocker suit he took a vigorous walk through the woods near Sagamore Hill.

Would Rescue Arctic Explorer.

New York.—Rear Admiral Schley, on behalf of the Arctic Club of America, of which he is president, in a letter appeals for financial aid to enable the Arctic explorer, to effect a rescue of Dr. Frederick Albert Cook from the Arctic regions, where he has been lost since July, 1907.

Noted Architect Dead.

Detroit, Mich.—Elijah E. Myers, noted architect and designer of state capitols and public buildings, died yesterday in this city.

Monument to 170 Children.

Cleveland, O.—The plot of land in Collinwood, upon which stands the ruins of the schoolhouse burned a year ago Thursday, will be purchased by the state as a probable site for a monument.

King Edward in England. Paris.—King Edward of England arrived here Friday afternoon from London. As he was traveling privately there was no government reception at the railroad station.

OLDEST MAN IN AMERICA

Escaped Terrors of Many Winters by Using Peruna.



Isaac Brock, 120 Years of Age.

Mr. Isaac Brock, of McLennan county, Tex., is an ardent friend to Peruna and speaks of it in the following terms: "The 'Hartman' remedy, Peruna, I have found to be the best, if not the only reliable remedy for COLIC, COLDS, CATARRH and diarrhoea.

"Peruna has been my stand-by for many years and I attribute my good health and my extreme age to its use. It exactly meets all my requirements.

"I have come to rely upon it almost entirely for the many little things for which I need medicine. I believe it to be especially valuable to old people."

ON FAITH.



Fat Man—Did you polish 'em up, boy?

Boy—Yen, look for yourself.

Fat Man—I'll take your word for it.

HAD AWFUL WEEPING ECZEMA.

Face and Neck Were Raw—Terrible Itching, Inflammation and Sores—All Treatments Failed.

"Eczema began over the top of my ear. It cracked and then began to spread. I had three different doctors and tried several things, but they did me no good. At last one of my friends told me of a man who had a face like mine and my neck was raw. The water ran out of it so that I had to wear medicated cotton, and it was so inflamed and sore that I had to keep a piece of cloth over my mouth to keep the water from it. It was so bad that I could not eat or sleep. I would stain the cloth with a sort of yellow. The eczema reached so that it seemed as though I could tear my face all to pieces. Then I began to use the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and it was not more than three months before it was healed up. Miss Amy Johnson, Northfield, Vt., Dec. 19, 1907.

MADE HER FEEL FOOLISH.

Ill-Bred Woman Deserves Little Sympathy in Her Mortification.

"In an eastern city, an ill-bred woman used to boast that her husband owned a bank. She was proud, and excessively foolish in her pride. The conductors on the line which she used to know her, and smilingly who enters the car and grandly utters her command.

"Conductor, let me off at my husband's bank."

One day lately, a trampish-looking old fellow with a red nose got on the car just as the banker's wife delivered her usual order to the conductor. The old man watched the performance of the banker's wife, and called out, with a magnificent air that was almost insulting:

"Conductor, let me off at my old woman's peanut stand."

A row went through the air, and "my husband's bank" has been alluded to more than ever since that time.

Up to the Editor.

The country has been nagging at his new application and finding fault with his work until the criticism became wearisome.

Finally the worm turned. "Dye expect to get a second Horio Greeley for five plunkers a week?" he demanded sarcastically.

"If you are harking up the wrong end of a stick, get up and sing ink with Ben Franklin or Horio Greeley, not on my present recompense, but you make the salary six shillings, cash down every Saturday night, and I'll pitch in and set the journalistic plunkers a-buzzing in Punkinville and vicinity, even if I have to stay up seven nights a week to do it."

"You offer, blast your stinky hide! And now if you don't get out a half way decent journal hereafter, it is the fault of your own meanness!"

NEW IDEA

Helped Wife, Couple.

It doesn't pay to stick too closely to old notions of things. New ideas often lead to better health, success and happiness.

A Wis. couple examined an idea new to them and stepped up several rounds on the health ladder. The husband writes:

"Several years ago we suffered from coffee drinking, were sleepless, nervous, sallow, weak and irritable. My wife and I both loved coffee and thought it was a 'bracer' (delusion). 'Finally, after years of suffering, we read of Postum and the harmfulness of coffee, and believing that to grow we should give some attention to new ideas, we decided to test Postum.

"When we made it right we liked it and were relieved of the causes by coffee. Our friends noticed the change—fresher skin, steadier nerves, better temper, etc.

"These changes were not sudden, but relief increased as we continued to drink and enjoy Postum, and we lost the desire for coffee.

